# **60-DAY REPORT OF REGISTRATION**

September 3, 2010, for the November 2, 2010, General Election

# HISTORICAL VOTER REGISTRATION STATISTICS FOR 60-DAY CLOSE FOR GENERAL ELECTIONS IN GUBERNATORIAL ELECTION YEARS

### TOTAL VOTER REGISTRATION

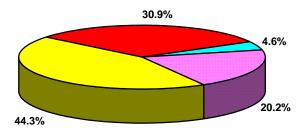
Report Date	Eligible Voters <sup>1</sup>	Registered Voters	Percent
September 3, 2010	23,521,995	16,993,075	72.24%
September 8, 2006	22,620,265	15,614,659	69.03%
September 6, 2002	21,416,703	15,041,203	70.23%
September 4, 1998	20,775,402	14,678,545	70.65%
September 9, 1994	18,946,358	14,353,977	75.76%

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>The figures given are unofficial but are based on U.S. Census data, as adjusted by information from the California Department of Finance and the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation.

## REGISTRATION BY POLITICAL PARTY

Report Date	<u>Dem</u>	<u>Rep</u>	<u>Other</u>	Decline to State	Counties wi of Dem	th Majority <u>of Rep</u>
September 3, 2010	44.3%	30.9%	4.6%	20.2%	27	31
September 8, 2006	42.7%	34.3%	4.4%	18.6%	22	36
September 6, 2002	44.7%	35.3%	5.1%	15.0%	23	35
September 4, 1998	46.7%	35.6%	5.1%	12.6%	30	28
September 9, 1994	49.0%	37.2%	3.6%	10.3%	40	18

# **Political Party Registration Percentages**



□ Democratic 44.3% ■ Republican 30.9% □ Other 4.6% □ Decline to State 20.2%

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### **TRENDS**

Since the last 60-day Report of Registration for a General Election in a gubernatorial election year (September 8, 2006):

- The total voter registration in the state increased from 15,614,659 to 16,993,075.
- The percentage of the total number of registered voters compared to the number of people who are eligible to register to vote increased from 69% to 72.2%.
- The percentage of voters who have declined to state their political party affiliation increased from 18.6% to 20.2%.
- The percentage of people registered with a qualified political party decreased from 80.9% to 79.1%.
- The percentage of voters registered with the Democratic Party increased from 42.7% to 44.3%.
- The percentage of voters registered with the Republican Party decreased from 34.3% to 30.9%.

# POLITICAL PARTY REGISTRATION HIGHLIGHTS

The counties with the 10 highest percentages of Democratic Party, Republican Party, and Decline to State registered voters are:

<b>Democratic Party</b>		<u>Republican</u>	Party	<b>Decline to State</b>	
Alameda	57.32%	Modoc	48.96%	San Francisco	29.54%
San Francisco	56.48%	Placer	48.39%	Santa Clara	26.66%
Santa Cruz	54.95%	Lassen	47.91%	Mono	24.74%
Marin	54.70%	Shasta	47.34%	San Mateo	23.59%
Monterey	53.39%	Sutter	46.35%	San Diego	23.06%
Sonoma	52.24%	Colusa	46.00%	Alpine	22.34%
San Mateo	52.01%	Madera	45.70%	Alameda	22.33%
Imperial	51.98%	Glenn	45.69%	Yolo	21.92%
Los Angeles	51.63%	Tulare	45.59%	Humboldt	21.80%
Contra Costa	50.15%	Amador	45.35%	Marin	21.66%

The counties with the three highest percentages of American Independent Party, Green Party, Libertarian Party, and Peace and Freedom Party registered voters are:

American In	dependent Party	Green Party	
Sierra Lassen Tehama	4.96% 4.87% 4.83%	Mendocino Humboldt Santa Cruz	3.98% 3.81% 2.15%
Libertarian l	Partv	Peace and Freedon	n Party
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